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APPROVAL TO PERFORM SITE PREPARATION ACTIVITIES FOR THE MOUND SITE SOURCE REMOVAL PROJECT, IHSS 113 - AMT-011-97

This letter requests approval to perform site preparation activities for the Fiscal Year (FY) 97 Mound Site (Individual Hazardous Substance Site 113) Source Removal Project scheduled to commence the week of February 24, 1997. Site preparation activities include extending the Central Avenue ditch culvert 200 feet to the east, constructing a soil berm at the excavation site to control surface water, constructing a pen at the treatment site for the storage of soils, and the establishment of work boundaries at both the excavation and treatment locations (ref. attachment 1). Site preparation activities are necessary to facilitate site access/egress and meet the requirements of the Mound Project Proposed Action Memorandum.

Site preparation activities will be completed utilizing a plant developed Integrated Work Control Package in accordance with Conduct of Operations and a project Health and Safety Plan, which includes activity specific Activity Hazard Analyses (ref. attachments 2, 3 and 4). A soil disturbance permit has been issued in accordance with the site procedure, which included review and approval by Industrial Hygiene, Environmental Operations, Radiological Engineering, and the Plant Excavation Specialists (ref. attachment 5).

Your concurrence to initiate site preparation activities is required at this time. If you have any questions, the project staff is available to meet with you at your convenience. Thank you for your continued support of the RMRS Environmental Restoration Projects.

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Attachments: As Stated

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